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Dr. Joao Gomes Teixeira
Diretor do Arquivo Publico Mineiro
Av. Joao Pinheiro, 372
Belo Horizonte, Minas Gerais
Brazil

Dear Dr. Teixeira:

The trees are losing their leaves, a cold brisk wind is blowing down the Charles River opposite my door and winter seems definitely on its way. All of this reminds me that sundrenched Belo Horizonte is bright and green as usual, basking in eternal springtime. It further reminds me that I have too long delayed in writing you to thank you once more for all your wonderful kindness and attention during our visit to Minas.

You will be interested to know that many of my kodochrome slides turned out to be unusually good and that they have helped spread the knowledge of Minas and its great treasures of history and art. Our visit to Brazil is something that we shall long re - member, and I believe that I can safely say that our week in Minas was the highpoint of our trip, thanks especially to you.

My wife and children join me in sending our best wishes to you. With the assurance of our gratitude and highest esteem, I re - main

Faithfully yours,

Maurice Halperin

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